2253 Linden St. Bethlehem, Pennsylvania June 13, 2012

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Clerk of Court U.S. District Court, ED of PA 504 W. Hamilton Street, Suite 1601 Allentown, PA 18101-1500

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Greetings:

Enclosed is a complaint I would like to file. I will be forwarding application to file without prepaying the filing fee.

If there are any questions I can be reached by telephone at (610) 866-3744.

Yours truly,

Brian C. Humphreys

## 1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 3 EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA 5 7 BRIAN C. HUMPHREYS, ) Case No.: 9 Plaintiff Violations of Federal Debt ) Collection Law 11 VS. FILED 13 PENN CREDIT, JUN 1 4 2012 15 Defendant MICHAEL E. KUNZ, Clerk 17 19 COMPLAINT 21 This is an action for damages and injunctive relief against PENN 23 CREDIT CORPORATION for violations of the Fair Debt Collection 25 Practices Act (FDCPA): Title 47, U.S.C. Chapter 5, Subchapter II, 27 \$227 (b) (1) (B). 29 31 PRELIMINARY STATEMENT 1. The Plaintiffs attach evidence that PENN CREDIT CORPORATION violated 33 35 the consumer protection laws by calling the Plaintiffs after 37 numerous requests to stop calling, including a written request 39 served on them by certified mail. 41 2. The Plaintiffs will show that the telephone harassment campaign 43 carried out by PENN CREDIT CORPORATION violates not just the letter, 45 but also the intent and spirit of the FDCPA because statistical

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evidence proves that the majority of consumers voluntarily make an

effort to settle their debts, if necessary, by distributing their

resources among their creditors until they can fully settle their

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obligations. Constant unyielding harassment on the part of a debt 1 3. collector works against the best interest of the consumer and his 5 creditors. 7 9 JURISDICTION AND VENUE 3. The jurisdiction of this Court is conferred by: 11 13 a. Title 12, U.S.C. Chapter 27, §2614. 15 b. Title 15, U.S.C. Chapter 41, Subchapter I, Part B, \$1640(e). 4. Venue is proper in this District pursuant to Title 28, U.S.C. Part 17 19 IV, Chapter 87, \$1391(b). 5. This is an action for which damages exceed \$1,800.00 21 23 25 PARTIES 6. Plaintiffs are natural persons and residents of Pennsylvania. 27 29 7. Upon information and belief, Defendant is a Pennsylvania 31 corporation. 33 35 37 FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS 39 8. On June 13, 2011, the Plaintiffs, after having not received 41 cooperation from the Plaintiffs, served a letter, by certified U.S. 43 Mail, on the Defendant, asking that telephone calls to their residence be ceased.1 45 47 49 Exhibit "A".

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1	9. On June 14, 2011 at or around 4:30 p.m., the Defendant placed					
3	another call to the Plaintiff's home telephone, strictly contrary to					
5	their wishes, as clearly expressed in their letter.					
7	WHEREFORE, the Plaintiffs ask for treble statutory damages of					
9	\$1500 for the violation because the Defendant refused to stop calling,					
11	and then refused to settle for their violation without litigation.					
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17	DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL					
19	Plaintiff hereby demands a trial by jury of all issues so triable as a					
21	matter of law.					
23	Respectfully submitted,					
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## 1 VERIFICATION OF COMPLAINT 3 Comes now Brian C. Humphreys, the Plaintiff, does solemnly affirm 5 that the statements contained herein are true and correct in substance 7 and in fact, to wit: 1. I am the plaintiff in this civil proceeding. 9 11 2. This civil Complaint is well grounded in fact and warranted by 13 existing law or by a good faith argument for the extension, 15 modification or reversal of existing law. 17 3. This civil Complaint is not interposed for any improper purpose, 19 such as to harass the Defendant, cause unnecessary delay to the 21 Defendant, or create a needless increase in cost of litigation to the Defendant named in the complaint. 23 4. I have filed this Complaint in good faith and solely for the 25 27 purposes set forth in it. 5. The exhibit attached to this Complaint is a true and correct copy of 29 31 the original. 33 Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. \$1746(2), I, Brian C. Humphreys, hereby declare 35 (or certify, verify or state) under penalty of perjury that the 37 foregoing is true and correct. 39 41 43 Dated this 13th day of June, 2012 45 47 Brian Humphreys

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